

AMENDMENTS OF THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1, 5, and 12 through 15 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

Please amend Claims 2 through 4, 6 through 8, 10, and 11 and add Claims 16 through 21 as follows:

1. (Cancelled)

2. (Currently Amended) The system according to claim [[1]] 7, wherein said display unit has an optical see through structure, and the user can observe a real space via said display unit.

3. (Currently Amended) The system according to claim [[1]] 7, further comprising:
a first image taking device for obtaining a video of a real space observed from a viewpoint of the user, and

wherein said composition unit displays the video obtained by said first image taking device on said display unit, and superimposes the other image on the display region determined by said determination unit.

4. (Currently Amended) The system according to claim [[1]] 7, wherein the ~~other image~~ information is a video obtained by a second image taking device for taking an image from a viewpoint other than a viewpoint of the user.

5. (Cancelled)

6. (Currently Amended) ~~The system according to claim 5, further comprising:~~ An image composition system for compositing a real image in a line-of-sight direction of a user with another image, said system comprising:

a display unit which is wearable on a head of the user, and displays a composite image;

a position sensor for detecting the line-of-sight direction of the user, and outputting line-of-sight information;

a determination unit for determining a display region where the other image is to be displayed, in accordance with the line-of-sight information;

a composition unit for compositing the other image on the determined display region, wherein the other image is used to display information that helps operations of the user, and wherein the information is text information; and

a memory for holding a pair of the text information and time information indicating a display timing of the text information, and

wherein said composition unit switches the text information to be displayed on the display region in accordance with the time information held by said memory.

7. (Currently Amended) ~~The system according to claim 1,~~ An image composition system for compositing a real image in a line-of-sight direction of a user with another image, said system comprising:

a display unit which is wearable on a head of the user, and displays a composite image;

a position sensor for detecting the line-of-sight direction of the user, and outputting line-of-sight information;

a determination unit for determining a display region where the other image is to be displayed, in accordance with the line-of-sight information; and

a composition unit for compositing the other image on the determined display region,

wherein the other image is used to display information that helps operations of the user, and

wherein said determination unit comprises:

(a) a setting unit for setting a space region for displaying the other image in the real space; and

(b) a conversion unit for converting the space region set by said setting unit into the display region on said display unit on the basis of a position and posture of the user.

8. (Currently Amended) ~~The system according to claim 1, further comprising:~~ An image composition system for compositing a real image in a line-of-sight direction of a user with another image, said system comprising:

a display unit which is wearable on a head of the user, and displays a composite image;

a position sensor for detecting the line-of-sight direction of the user, and outputting line-of-sight information;

a determination unit for determining a display region where the other image is to be displayed, in accordance with the line-of-sight information;

a composition unit for compositing the other image on the determined display region, wherein the other image is used to display information that helps operations of the user;
and

a gesture detection unit capable of detecting a predetermined action of the user, ~~and~~
wherein said composition unit performs turn on/off display control of the other image in response to a predetermined action detected by said gesture detection unit.

9. (Original) The system according to claim 8, wherein said composition unit switches contents of the other image to be displayed on the display region in response to a predetermined action detected by said gesture detection unit.

10. (Currently Amended) The system according to claim ~~[[1]]~~ 7, wherein the information ~~that helps the operations of the user~~ is dialog information.

11. (Currently Amended) The system according to claim ~~[[1]]~~ 7, wherein the information ~~that helps the operations of the user~~ is an image obtained by taking an image of an action of the user.

12 - 15. (Cancelled)

16. (New) An information processing method of displaying a composite image of a real image in a line-of-sight direction of a user and another image on a display unit which is wearable on a head of the user, said method comprising the steps of:

detecting the line-of-sight direction of the user, and outputting line-of-sight information;

determining a display region where the other image is to be displayed, in accordance with the line-of-sight information;

compositing the other image on the determined display region, wherein the other image is used to display information that helps operations of the user, and wherein the information is text information; and

holding in a memory a pair of the text information and time information indicating a display timing of the text information,

wherein said compositing step switches the text information to be displayed on the display region in accordance with the time information held by the memory.

17. (New) An information processing method of displaying a composite image of a real image in a line-of-sight direction of a user and another image on a display unit which is wearable on a head of the user, said method comprising the steps of:

detecting the line-of-sight direction of the user, and outputting line-of-sight information;

determining a display region where the other image is to be displayed, in accordance with the line-of-sight information; and

compositing the other image on the determined display region, wherein the other image is used to display information that helps operations of the user,

wherein said determining step comprises:

(a) a setting step of setting a space region for displaying the other image in the real space; and

(b) a converting step of converting the space region set by said setting step into the display region on the display unit on the basis of a position and posture of the user.

18. (New) An information processing method of displaying a composite image of a real image in a line-of-sight direction of a user and another image on a display unit which is wearable on a head of the user, said method comprising the steps of:

detecting the line-of-sight direction of the user, and outputting line-of-sight information;

determining a display region where the other image is to be displayed, in accordance with the line-of-sight information;

compositing the other image on the determined display region, wherein the other image is used to display information that helps operations of the user; and

a gesture detecting step of detecting a predetermined action of the user,

wherein said compositing step performs turn on/off display control of the other image in response to a predetermined action detected by said gesture detecting step.

19. (New) A computer-readable medium that stores a computer-executable program for making a computer execute the information processing method according to claim 16.

20. (New) A computer-readable medium that stores a computer-executable program for making a computer execute the information processing method according to claim 17.

21. (New) A computer-readable medium that stores a computer-executable program for making a computer execute the information processing method according to claim 18.